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Calendar, 1915-'16

Oct. 1. Annual reports of district School Boards due.

Oct. 12. Columbus Day—Holiday.

Oct. 16. Quarterly meetings of all School Boards.

Oct. 28–29. County Teachers' Examinations.

Oct. 31. County Treasurers' reports to County Superintendents due.

Nov. 1. Annual reports of County Superintendents due.

Nov. 1. Pioneer Day.

Nov. 22–24. Twenty-Sixth Annual Meeting of the Montana State Teachers' Association, Great Falls.

Nov. 25. Thanksgiving Day—Holiday.

Dec. 6. Meeting of the State Board of Education.

Dec. 25. Christmas—Holiday.

Jan. 1. New Years Day—Holiday.

Jan. 12, 13, 19, 20. Eighth Grade Examinations.

Jan. 15. Quarterly meetings of all School Boards.

Jan. 18–20. Annual Convention of County Superintendents at Dillon.

Jan. 31–Feb. 5. Farmers' Week at Montana Agricultural College.

Feb. 1. Latest date on which principals serving their second consecutive year must be notified if their services are not required for the ensuing year.

Feb. 1–10. State apportionment of school money to counties.

Feb. 22. Washington's Birthday—Holiday.

Feb. 22–27. Department of Superintendence, N. E. A., Detroit, Mich.

Feb. 24–25. County Teachers' Examinations.

March 1–Sept. 1. No new school districts can be formed between these dates.

March 6. Boards of County Commissioners appoint two county high school trustees for three years.

March 9–11. Interscholastic Basket-Ball Tournament, Bozeman.

April 1. School District Elections.

April 15. Quarterly Meetings of all School Boards

April 18–20. Inland Empire Teachers' Association, Spokane, Washington.

April 22. Presidential Primaries.

April 27–28. County Teachers' Examinations.

May 1. Latest date on which teachers serving their second consecutive year must be notified if their services are not required for the ensuing year.

May 8. Arbor Day.

May 9–13. Interscholastic Meet, Missoula.

May 17, 18, 31, June 1. Eighth Grade Examinations.

June 5. Meeting of the State Board of Education.

June 6–Aug. 25. Summer Quarter at the State Normal College.

June 12–July 21. Summer Session at Montana Agricultural College.

June 12–July 21. Summer Session at University of Montana.

July 15. Quarterly meetings of all School Boards.

Aug. 20. Assessors' annual reports to County Superintendents due.

Aug. 24–25. County Teachers' Examinations, and Eighth Grade Examinations.

Aug. 30. Primary Elections.

Sept. 1. The legal "school year" begins.

Sept. 1–30. Annual School Census taken.

Sept. 4. Labor Day—Holiday.

Sept. 10. Latest date for filing teachers' annual reports with county superintendents. Teachers whose schools close before Aug. 31st must file their reports immediately after the close of their schools.)

Sept. 20. Annual financial reports of school clerks due.

Sept. 30. Annual reports of Justices of the Peace to County Superintendents due.

Oct. 1. Annual reports of district School Boards due.

Oct. 12. Columbus Day—Holiday.

Oct. 14. Quarterly meetings of all School Boards.

Oct. 26–27. County Teachers' Examinations.

Oct. 31. County Treasurers' reports to County Superintendents due.

Nov. 1. Annual reports of County Superintendents due.

Nov. 6. Pioneer Day.

Nov. 7. General Election Day—Holiday.

MONTANA STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, HELENA.

H. A. DAVEE, State Superintendent.
H. H. SWAIN, Deputy.
C. W. TENNEY, Rural School Inspector.
*FLORENCE McGRATH, Clerk.
LELA L. BRYANT, Stenographer.

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Ex-Officio:

GOVERNOR S. V. STEWART, President.
ATTORNEY GENERAL J. B. POINDEXTER.
SUPERINTENDENT H. A. DAVEE, Secretary.

Appointed:

W. S. Hartman, Bozeman – Term expires Feb. 1916
S. D. Largent, Great Falls – Term expires Feb. 1916
John Dietrich, Helena – – Term expires Feb. 1917
Jos. C. Smith, Dillon – – – Term expires Feb. 1917
C. H. Hall, Missoula – – – Term expires Feb. 1918
J. Bruce Kremer, Butte – – Term expires Feb. 1918
*Leo. H. Faust, Libby – – – Term expires Feb. 1919
Ward H. Nye, Billings – – – Term expires Feb. 1919

H. H. Swain, Clerk of the Board.

Semi-annual meetings, at Helena, first Monday in June and December.

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STATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS.

UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA.

Acting President, *F. C. SCHEUCH, Missoula.
Other Members of Executive Board:
John M. Keith, J. H. T. Ryman.
Regular Session, Sept. 15–June 8.
Summer Session, June 12–July 21.

MONTANA STATE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND MECHANIC ARTS.

President, J. M. HAMILTON, Bozeman.
Other Members of Executive Board:
J. H. Baker, W. S. Davidson.
Regular Session, Sept. 15–June 7.
"Short Course" Oct. 5–Mar. 31.
Summer Session, June 12–July 21.

MONTANA STATE NORMAL COLLEGE.

President, J. E. MONROE, Dillon.
Other Members of Executive Board:
R. W. Boone, *Geo. P. Hughes.
In session throughout the entire year.

MONTANA STATE SCHOOL OF MINES.

President, C. H. BOWMAN, Butte.
Other Members of Executive Board:
R. H. Dunshee, Oscar Rohn.
Session, Sept. 7–June 2.

STATE SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF, BLIND, AND FEEBLE MINDED.

President, H. J. MENZEMER, Boulder.
Other Members of Executive Board:
L. Q. Skelton, *J. E. Kelly.
Session, Sept. 8–June 13.

STATE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

President, A. C. DORR, Miles City.
Other Members of Executive Board:
C. W. Butler, A. Buchanan.

STATE ORPHANS' HOME.

President, WALLER SHOBE, Twin Bridges.
Other Members of Executive Board::
A. J. Wilcomb, Patrick Carney.

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COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS, 1915–'17.

County	Superintendent	Post Office
Beaverhead	Mayme F. French	Dillon.
Bighorn	C. Bernice Myers	Hardin.
Blaine	Margaret Vanden	Chinook.
Broadwater	Mrs. Lizzie B. Brown	Townsend.
Carbon	Nora L. Hogan	Red Lodge.
Cascade	Annie A. McAnelly	Great Falls.
Chouteau	May G. Flanagan	Fort Benton.
Custer	Emma L. Fritz	Miles City.
Dawson	Camilla F. Osborne	Glendive.
Deer Lodge	Mabel M. Sharp	Anaconda.
Fallon	Annette Leonard	Baker.
Flathead	Mrs. Leila M. Baker	Lewistown.
Fergus	Mary E. Eckstein	Kalispell.
Gallatin	Ida W. Davis	Bozeman.
Granite	Mrs. Lottie T. Irvine	Philipsburg.
Hill	Laura G. Lovett	Havre.
Jefferson	Mabel Haynes	Boulder.
Lewis & Clark	Eva Harrington	Helena.
Lincoln	Mrs. Ella E. Hess	Libby.
Madison	Mrs. Phebe C. Williams	Virginia City.
Meagher	Mary J. Davies	White Sul. Spg
Mineral	Mrs. M. Leota Wright	Superior.
Missoula	Mary P. Shull	Missoula.
Musselshell	Minnie F. Ferguson	Roundup.
Park	Maude E. Brown	Livingston.
Phillips	Flora Sims	Malta.
Powell	*Irene Coughlin	Deer Lodge.
Prairie	Mabel L. Williams	Terry.
Ravalli	Bethel Irwin	Hamilton.
Richland	Bell Hoyt	Sidney.
Rosebud	Fay Alderson	Forsyth.
Sanders	Mrs. Grace D. Fox	Thompson Falls
Sheridan	Irene Murphy	Plentywood.
Silver Bow	Julia Shea	Butte.
Stillwater	Gertrude Sylvester	Columbus.
Sweet Grass	Inga Solberg	Big Timber.
Teton	Mrs. Nellie R. Brown	Chouteau.
Toole	Marion G. Valentine	Shelby.
Valley	Mrs. W. H. Frazier	Glasgow.
Wibaux	Mrs. Maud B. Wills	Wibaux.
Yellowstone	Mrs. Louise J. Wilson	Billings.

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COUNTY BOARDS OF EDUCATIONAL EXAMINERS.

County—	Address
Beaverhead:	
Mayme F. French, Ex-officio	Dillon
Mrs. Catherine Paxton-Willis	Dillon
Ed. N. Evans	Lima
Bighorn:	
C. Bernice Myers, Ex-officio	Hardin
Sarah T. Dakin	Crow Agency
Harry G. Rogers	Lodge Grass
Blaine:	
Margaret Vanden, Ex-officio	Chinook
G. H. Willman	Chinook
F. B. Polley	Harlem
Broadwater:	
Mrs. Lizzie Barker Brown, Ex-officio	Townsend
A. E. Myers	Townsend
*Mrs. C. P. Cotter	Townsend
Carbon:	
Nora L. Hogan, Ex-officio	Red Lodge
A. C. Carlson	Red Lodge
*A. O. Nelson	Fromberg
Cascade:	
Annie A. McAnelly, Ex-officio	Great Falls
S. A. Remington	Belt
*G. N. Moss	Raynesford
Chouteau:	
May G. Flanagan, Ex-officio	Fort Benton
J. W. Lenning	Fort Benton
C. M. Luce	Fort Benton
Custer:	
Emma L. Fritz, Ex-officio	Miles City
Mrs. Ida E. Fearnall	Miles City
*Olive Lovett	Ismay

County—	Address
Dawson:	
Camilla Osborne, Ex-officio	Glendive
F. M. Nicodeme	Glendive
*G. G. Hoole	Glendive
Deer Lodge:	
Mabel M. Sharp, Ex-officio	Anaconda
Frances Jones	Anaconda
*Mrs. Mary Mahoney	Anaconda
Fallon:	
Annette Leonard, ex-officio	Baker
Cecil Markin	Ekalaka
Carrie A. Bachtle	Baker
Fergus:	
Mrs. Leila M. Baker, Ex-officio	Lewistown
A. A. Franzke	Lewistown
*Beulah Meek	Lewistown
Flathead:	
Mary E. Eckstein, Ex-officio	Kalispell
Harry L. Hayden	Whitefish
*Myrtle B. Roberts	Kalispell
Gallatin:	
Ida W. Davis, Ex-officio	Bozeman
Mrs. E. L. Houston	Bozeman
Edna Lewis	Bozeman
Granite:	
Mrs. Lottie T. Irvine, Ex-officio	Philipsburg
Gertrude Martin	Philipsburg
G. T. Bramble	Philipsburg
Hill:	
Laura G. Lovett, Ex-officio	Havre
John W. Hutchison	Chester
*T. J. Troy	Havre

County—	Address
Jefferson:	
Mabel Haynes, Ex-officio	Boulder
J. R. Norville	Boulder
O. W. Wilkins	Whitehall
Lewis and Clark:	
Eva Harrington, Ex-officio	Helena
Maud Mosher	Helena
*Ada L. Hurd	East Helena
Lincoln:	
Mrs. Ella E. Hess, Ex-officio	Libby
A. R. Ford	Eureka
Blanche B. Keineitz	Libby
Madison:	
Mrs. Phoebe Comfort Williams, Ex-Officio	Virginia City
W. N. Tibbs	Sheridan
A. J. Smith	Harrison
Meagher:	
Mary J. Davies, Ex-officio	White Sul. Springs
Mrs. H. W. Coates	Martinsdale
*Jessie C. Poindexter	Harlowton
Mineral:	
Mrs. M. Leota Wright, Ex-officio	Superior
Chas. Troyer	St. Regis
Missoula:	
Mary P. Shull, Ex-officio	Missoula
Mrs. Pearl T. Marshall	Missoula
G. A. Ketcham	Missoula
Musselshell:	
Minnie F. Ferguson, Ex-officio	Roundup
F. P. Baird	Roundup
*Mrs. Lura Lewis	Roundup

County—	Address
Park:	
Maude E. Brown, Ex-officio	Livingston
B. A. Winans	Livingston
*C. V. Brown	Livingston
Phillips:	
Flora Sims, Ex-officio	Malta
J. H. Atwood	Saco
*J. L. Elliott	Malta
Powell:	
*Irene Coughlin, Ex-officio	Deer Lodge
Mrs. N. M. Davies	Deer Lodge
Sallie Batterton	Deer Lodge
Prairie:	
Mabel R. Williams, Ex-officio	Terry
H. H. Graff	Fallon
C. W. Grandey	Terry
Ravalli:	
Bethel Irwin, Ex-officio	Hamilton
Henry Schwarm	Hamilton
J. F. Sharp	Stevensville
Richland:	
Bell Hoyt, Ex-officio	Sidney
J. H. Nevins	Sidney
E. A. Kenoyer	Sidney
Rosebud:	
Fay Alderson, Ex-officio	Forsyth
H. V. Beeman	Forsyth
Elizabeth M. Snook	Forsyth
County—	Address
Sanders:	
Mrs. Grace Davidson Fox, Ex-officio	Thomp. Falls
Mrs. W. A. Barto	Thompson Falls
Mrs. Ethel G. Toulmin	Plains

County—	Address
Sheridan:	
Irene Murphy, Ex-officio	Plentywood
F. L. Houston	Plentywood
F. H. Livingston	Medicine Lake
Silver Bow:	
Julia Shea, Ex-officio	Butte
Delia Gibbons	Butte
Mrs. Margaret Hogan	Butte
Stillwater:	
Gertrude Sylvester, Ex-officio	Columbus
*Beatrice F. Davis	Absarokee
*Mrs. Veronica Piepho	Absarokee
Sweet Grass:	
Inga Solberg, Ex-officio	Bigtimber
E. A. Erickson	Bigtimber
*Le Roy W. Beam	Bigtimber
Teton:	
Mrs. Nellie R. Brown, Ex-officio	Chouteau
E. E. Crawford	Chouteau
J. A. Goodrich	Conrad
Toole:	
Marian G. Valentine, Ex-officio	Shelby
Harry Savidge	Galata
*E. O. Durocher	Devon
Valley:	
Mrs. Alene McGregor Frazier, Ex-officio	Glasgow
*D. S. Williams	Glasgow
*Johanna C. Lind	Glasgow
Wibaux:	
Mrs. Maud Banker Wills, Ex-officio	Wibaux
H. J. Putnam	Wibaux
S. J. Leahy	Wibaux
Yellowstone:	
Mrs. Louise Jones Wilson, Ex-officio	Billings
Vinnie Burton	Billings
D. S. Clinger	Laurel

FIRST CLASS SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Postoffice	District	Superintendents, Principals and Supervisors	Salary	Number of Teachers	Total Enrollment, 1914–'15
Anaconda,	No. 10, Deer Lodge Co.	W. K. Dwyer	$2,700	57	1,567
		C. L. Markley, H. S.	2,000	13	[illegible]
		*Lester Machia	1,400	8	
		E. P. Brogan	1,400	16	
		Mary MacDonald	1,080	[illegible]	
		Agnes MacDonald	1,080	[illegible]	
		*Edythe Utley, Music	1,150		
		Anna Ferrin, Drawing	1,150		
		*R. Mitchell, Physical Culture	1,250		
		Adele Henderson, Physical Culture	1,150		

All school districts are designated by numbers. The names of towns or cities mentioned in connection with them are only the post office addresses. The boundaries of the school district almost always include much more than the town or city, and city governments in Montana have nothing to do with school matters.

A district of the First Class is one which has a population of 8,000 or more; it employs a superintendent, and is controlled by a board of seven trustees elected for three years by the voters of the district. not more than three each year.

Postoffice	District	Superintendents, Principals and Supervisors	Salary	Number of Teachers	Total Enrollment, 1914-'15
Billings	No. 2, Yellowstone Co.	Ward H. Nye	$3,100	82	2,781
		W. H. McCall, H. S.	2,200	17	481
		Cora McCormick	1,300	7	
		Lucile McCool	1,300	12½	
		Hetty Crawford	1,200	7	
		Rosa Dell	1,300	12½	
		Laura Carns	1,125	3	
		May Calhoun	1,050	3	
		Mrs. Lucy Railsback	1,075	3	
		D. W. McKenney, Mn. Tr.	1,750	5	
		Vinnie Burton, Music	1,300		
		Clara F. Robinson, Art	1,500		
		*Anna Schurtz, Dom. Econ.	1,300		
		Laura Holman, Kdgtn.	950		
		*Alma Taylor, Penman.	1,050		
Butte	No. 1, Silver Bow Co.	Geo. F. Downer	4,000	251	7,750
		Jennie R. Faddis, Asst. Supt.	2,100		
	This district includes the cities of Butte and Walkerville, as well as the villages	B. E. Millikin, H .S.	3,000	35	812
		*Leo H. King, Intermediate School	2,400	23	
		Ethel Wood	1,510	19	

Postoffice	District	Superintendents, Principals and Supervisors	Salary	Number of Teachers	Total Enrollment, 1914–'15
of Centerville and Meaderville.		Marguerite McDonald	$1,450	19	
		Isabel Kelley	1,510	18	
		Ada F. Madden	1,510	17	
		Anna DeVere Butler	1,450	16	
		Kate Stafford	1,330	15	
		Ella E. Swift	1,450	15	
		Cassie Laird	1,270	12	
		Jenny Robinson	1,360	11	
		Lizzie H. Pettibone	1,330	10	
		Mamie Burt	1.270	10	
		Mollie Jackson	1,200	10	
		Theo. Russel	1,200	5	
		Teresa O'Donnell	1,200	3	
		Bessie V. Collier	1,200	3	
		*W. J. Corbett	1,800	3	
		Alice Dinsmore. Drawing	1,400		
		*Minerva Bennett, Music	1,300		
		Alice Demon, Household Arts	1,350		
		Carl E. Warner, Manual Training	1,800		
		*C. V. Munsey, Physical Education and Playgrounds	1,500		

Postoffice	District	Superintendents, Principals and Supervisors	Salary	Number of Teachers	Total Enrollment, 1914–'15
Great Falls	No. 1, Cascade Co	S. D. Largent	$4,000	119	3,633
		James Rae, H. S.	2,500	25	543
		Estelle E. Ryan	1,640	14	
		Ada J. White	1,440	8	
		*Louise Shafer	1,440	8	
		Clara Christison	1,300	4	
		Fannie B. Collins	1,380	4	
		Lucy A. Major	1,480	10	
		Charlotte Sherrard	1,400	7	
		Ida R. Rhoads	1,600	13	
		Lois Troumbley	1,290	8	
		*Julia G. Gordon, Music	1,200		
		*Agnes B. Cole, Drawing	1,400		
		A. F. Stolbarger, Penmanship	1,100		
		Edna Hagerman, Domestic Economy	1,300		
		*J. Scott Wiseman, Manual Training	1,600		
		*Pearl Dicus Physical Training	1,100		

Postoffice	District	Superintendents, Principals and Supervisors	Salary	Number of Teachers	Total Enrollment, 1914–'15
Helena	No. 1, Lewis & Clark Co.	John Dietrich	$4,000	78	2,015
		A. J. Roberts, H. S.	2,800	13	365
		F. M. McConnell	1,900	18	
		Kathryn Johnston	1,600	11	
		Ida Fullerton	1,500	8	
		Emma A. Perry	1,400	7	
		Mrs. H. C. Carpenter	1,400	5	
		Alberta Stolz	1,250	2	
		Edith Bradley	1,250	2	
		Mary C. Wheeler, Drawing	1,600		
		Ethel Meigs, Music	1,600		
		Adda B. Patterson, Penmanship	1,400		
		I. Adelia Sater, Household Arts	1,600		
		Laura Piedalue, Household Arts	1,250		
		Ida M. Eells, Household Arts	1,400		
		Edwin S. Thomas, Physical Director	1,800		
		Grace M. Griffin, Asst. Phys. Direc.	1,375		
		E. M. McGrath, Manual Training	2,000		
		*Mark M. Reed, Manual Training	1,100		
		L. Edna Slugg, Special	1,500		

Postoffice	District	Superintendents, Principals and Supervisors	Salary	Number of Teachers	Total Enrollment, 1914–'15
Missoula	No. 1, Missoula Co.	J. U. Williams	$3,000	65	1,950
		L. E. Sargent	1,620	12	
		D. A. Stephenson	1,440	7	
		D. P. Lucas	1,500	7	
		C. A. Rupp	1,560	8	
		F. B. Bates	1,560	8	
		W. H. Grenzow	1,440	3	
		Mildred Clark, Music	1,200		
		Josephine Hanson, Draw. and Constr.	1,080		
		Sarah E. Sumner, Sewing	1,200		
		L. C. Ennis, Manual Training	1,560		
		Myra Pellens, Cooking	1,080		

SECOND CLASS SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Postoffice	District	Superintendents, Principals and Supervisors	Salary	Number of Teachers	Total Enrollment, 1914–'15
Belt, No. 29, Cascade Co.		S. A. Remington	$1,80(	15	493
		High School		4	64
		Anna Brady	837	5	
Bigtimber No. 1, Sweet Grass Co.		E. A. Erickson	1,700	8	237
		*Barbara Haaland, Music			
		Carrie Slusher, Drawing			
		*Mattie Daly, Sewing			
		*Mary Mulligan, Playground			
Billings (R. F. D.), No. 37, Yellowstone Co.				5	
Bonner No. 14, Missoula Co.		W. F. Akin	1,740	7	224
		L. D. Ambrose, Man. Tr. (½ time)	720		
		Margaret Howe, Draw. & Dom. Econ.	1,020		
Bozeman No. 7, Gallatin Co.		R. J. Cunningham	$2,500	36	1,067
		Leora M. Hapner	1,300	15	

A district of the Second Class is one which has a population of between 1,000 and 8,000; it employs a superintendent, and is controlled by a board of five trustees elected for three years by the voters of the district, not more than two each year.

Postoffice	District	Superintendents, Principals and Supervisors	Salary	Number of Teachers	Total Enrollment, 1914–'15
		Anna E. Nebel	$1,100	7	
		Annie L. Wright	1,150	6	
		*Jennie Lind, Art & Industrial Work	1,000		
		*Alberta I. Smith, Music	1,000		
		Grace Kirk, Domestic Economy	900		
		*E. C. Shanks, Manual Training	1,200		
Chester No. 33, Hill Co.		John W. Hutchison	1,000	10	292
Chinook No. 10 Blaine Co.		G. H. Willman	1,665	15	424
		Elizabeth Dickey, H. S.	1,080	5	85
Chouteau No. 1, Teton Co.		E. E. Crawford	1,500	9	255
		Nina A. Clark, Music and Art	1,000		
Columbia Falls No. 6, Flathead Co.		John R. Hansen	1,700	15	280
		*Arla B. Stevens, H. S.	900	2	22
		Henrietta McGie, Music and Drawing	720		
Conrad, No. 10, Teton Co.		J. A. Goodrich	1,800	18	426
Corvallis No. 1, Ravalli Co.		W. S. Bailey	1,350	9	335

Postoffice	District	Superintendents, Principals and Supervisors	Salary	Number of Teachers	Total Enrollment, 1914-'15
Deer Lodge	No. 1, Powell Co.	Owen D. Speer	$1,900	16	462
		*Pauline Hessler, Music and Drawing	1,000		
¶Dillon	No. 10, Beaverhead Co.	Grant E. Finch		16	522
		Nina M. Nash, Inter. Grade Superv's'r			
		Addie E. Bettes, Primary Grade Supervisor			
		J. B. Cluley, Draw. & Man. Tr.			
		*M. Genevieve Taylor, Music			
		Elizabeth Hinshaw, Household Arts			
		*Ruth Covington, Physical Training			
		*Doris E. White, Playground Director			
		Stella Henderson, Penmanship			

¶The Dillon public school is the training school of the Montana State Normal College.

Postoffice	District	Superintendents, Principals and Supervisors	Salary	Number of Teachers	Total Enrollment, 1914-'15
East Helena No. 9,	Lewis & Clark Co.	E. E. Davis	$1,522	8	149
		Agda A. Carlson, Music (½ time)	500		
Eureka No. 13,	Lincoln Co.	A. R. Ford	1,600	10	333
		*Carl Carlson, H. S.	900	3	44
Fairview No. 13,	Richland Co.	*Edgar Fox	765	3	
Forsyth No. 4,	Rosebud Co.	E. C. Bussert	2,000	16	443
		H. Mackenzie, H. S.	1,500	7	67
		Virginia Lindsay	900	3	
		Rosalie Terrett	750	1	
		Mary H. Morrill, Music	825		
		Naomi Gooding, Draw. & Man. Train	850		
		Pernelle Wold, Domestic Economy	925		
Fort Benton No. 1,	Chouteau Co.	J. W. Lenning	1,800	10	219
Glasgow No. 1,	Valley Co.	D. S. Williams	2,300	42	930
		High School		5	51
		Roy Huber	1,200	7	
		*J. C. Lawton	1,000	4	
Glendive No. 1,	Dawson Co.	R. H. Brown	2,700	18	578
		Cecilia Busness	1,000	8	
		Lucile Lucile Hennigar	1,000	6	

Postoffice	District	Superintendents, Principals and Supervisors	Salary	Number of Teachers	Total Enrollment, 1914-'15
		*Elnora Theisen, Music and Art	$1,000		
		*Rose McNallan, Sewing	765		
		J. H. Brown, Manual Training	1,750		
Hamilton No. 3, Ravalli Co.		Henry Schwarm	2,200	22	742
		High School		8	147
		Hazel Healy	810	4	
		Maud Farnham	900	8	
		Cora Stewart, Music	765		
Hardin No. 17, Bighorn Co.		H. B. Westergaard	1,500	16	262
		*Olive L. Cory, Music	675		
Harlowton No. 16, Meagher Co.		John A. Johnson	1.800	11	290
		C. E. Welch, H. S.	1,035	4	40
		Jessie C. Poindexter, Music-Drawing	990		
Havre No. 16, Hill Co.		N. C. Abbott	2,400	26	826
		Grace M. Easter, H. S.	1,500	8	134
		Bessie E. McKenzie	1,150	3	
		Selma Bondeson	1,150	3	
		Hazel Kennedy	1,100	3	
		Vera MacKenzie, Music and Drawing	1,050		
Kalispell No. 5, Flathead Co.		W. D. Swetland	$2,500	33	1,310
		Mrs. Laura S. Price	1,200	16	

Postoffice	District	Superintendents, Principals and Supervisors	Salary	Number of Teachers	Total Enrollment, 1914–'15
		G. H. Davey	$1,300	4	
		Alice Ketchum, Music and Drawing	1,150		
		*Lillian Taylor, Sewing	1,000		
		*Edwin P. Fait, Manual Training	1,000		
Laurel	No. 7, Yellowstone Co.	D. S. Clinger	1,800	10	358
		*C. J. Powell, H. S.	1,300	3	52
Lewistown	No. 1, Fergus Co.	A. A. Franzke	3,000	40	1,157
		J. B. Robinson	1,400	10	
		*Beulah Meek	1,200	9	
		Myrtle Wright	1,260	3	
		Jacob Vogel, Manual Training	1,500		
		Mary Marsh, Drawing	960		
		*Edith Foley, Music	960		
		*Irene Piedalue, Domestic Economy	960		
		Lora Molyneaux, Physical Training	960		
Libby	No. 4, Lincoln Co.	*Geo. P. Koebel	1,600	13	376
		High School		3	44
		Katherine Gill	900	8	
		Anna M. Ketridge, Domestic Economy	900		
		*Ruby I. S. Jacobson, Music	720		
		Donna M. Schanck, Drawing	855		

Postoffice	District	Superintendents, Principals and Supervisors	Salary	Number of Teachers	Total Enrollment, 1914–'15
Livingston	No. 4, Park Co.	B. A. Winans	$2,600	32	884
		Florence Goodson	1,100	7	
		Clara Kermode	855	3	
		*Clara Wells	900	6	
		*Madge Stark	900	9	
		Minabelle Coggeshall, Music–Drawing	1,100		
		R. J. Woods, Manual Training	1,500		
		Rebecca Orr, Pennmanship	1,050		
		*M. Fay Cook, Kindergarten	810		
Miles City	No. 1, Custer Co.	J. A. Burger	3,200	46	1,100
		Genevieve Thompson	1,325	16	
		Gratia Lyman	1,110	8	
		Mary A. Hickey	1,000	3	
		Emily A. Spalenka, Music & Drawing	1,050		
		E. Marie Barnard, Domestic Economy	1,275		
		Paul F. Stanton, Manual Training	1,500		
Philipsburg	No. 1, Granite Co.	Wm. R. Wyatt	1,500	8	263
		*W. H. Burr, Manual Training	900		
		Elizabeth Saurer, Penmanship	810		
		Gertrude Martin, Music	810		

Postoffice	District	Superintendents, Principals and Supervisors	Salary	Number of Teachers	Total Enrollment, 1914–'15
Polson No. 23,	Flathead Co.	Maurice D. Pace	$1,700	11	351
		June Whiting, H. S.			52
Ravalli No. 28,	Missoula Co.	S. R. Logan	2,100	30	693
This district includes the villages of Arlee, Leon, Ravalli, Ronan and St. Ignatius, as well as several rural schools.		*L. P. White (Arlee)	1,035	4	
		Lucile Brown (St. Ignatius)	1,035	4	
		Phoebe Finley (Leon)	810	2	
		*F. C. Becker (Ronan)	1,125	5	
Red Lodge No. 1,	Carbon Co.	A. C. Carlson	2,222	31	1,096
		Lottie D. Cosby	900	8	
		Mattie Boyd	877	4	
		Mrs. Matie Browne	828	6	
		Estella Provinse	900	5	
		E. L. Miles, Manual Training	1,231		
		Elizabeth Cavanaugh, Music	810		
		Irma Martindale, Domestic Economy	810		
Roundup No. 55,	Musselshell Co.	F. P. Baird	1,980	21	610
		Josephine Sutherland, H. S.	1,200	3	54
		*Mabel C. Johnson	765	2	
		Lulu McLeod, Music and Drawing	945		
Sand Coulee No. 7,	Cascade Co.	*C. C. Williamson	1,350	6	237

Postoffice	District	Superintendents, Principals and Supervisors	Salary	Number of Teachers	Total Enrollment, 1914–'15
Stevensville No. 2, Ravalli Co.		J. F. Sharp	$1,260	10	272
		J. D. Kegler, H. S.	1,215	3	87
Stockett No. 50, Cascade Co.		J. E. Young	1,600	10	382
Three Forks No. 24, Gallatin Co.		*H. E. Smith	1,500	8	205
Whitefish No. 44, Flathead Co.		H. L. Hayden	1,400	12	374
		High School		2	32
Wibaux No. 6, Wibaux Co.		H. J. Putnam	1,700	9	184
		High School		3	33
		*Mildred Buzza, Penmanship	765		
		Ruth Manon, Art	765		
		M. E. Miller, Physical Training	900		
		*Bessie Brannen, Music	270		
Worden No. 24, Yellowstone Co.		J. E. Baltzell	1,800	27	702
	This district includes the villages of Worden, Ballantine, Huntley and Pompey's Pillar, as well as several rural schools.	*G. M. Harris, H. S.	1,080	2	
		*Matilda Gillis	810	3	
		H. Van Saun (Ballentine)	720	1	
		*Mabel Hubbard (Ballentine)	810	3	
		*Herschel James (Ballentine)	810	3	
		Mary Hille (Huntley)	810	3	
		*Glen McMullen (Pompey's Pillar)	720	1	
		*Ben F. Chesterman (Wheatley)	810	3	

THIRD CLASS SCHOOL DISTRICTS

having schools of more than one department.

Postoffice	Principal	Salary	T'ch'rs in Add'n to Prin.
Absarokee	Mrs. Veronica Piepho	$ 900	3
Alberton	*T. T. Cunningham	1,140	3
Alder	Mrs. Cecile D'Ayotte	720	1
Antelope	*Wanda Cupp	765	1
Armington	M. C. Bowman	810	1
Arrow Creek	*Harry Johnson	720	2
Ashland	Fred Benbrook	810	1
Augusta	Mrs. M. Brown	990	3
Avon	Winifred Duff	675	1
Bainville	Charlotte Hanson	675	1
Baker	Carrie Bachtle	1,000	5
Basin	Anna Harold	900	1
Bear Creek	M. J. Kane	1,125	5
Belfry	E. E. Kelso	1,125	1
Belgrade	*H. E. Kraus	1,200	7
Belmont	C. W. Cullen	900	1
Benchland	*Anna Harrod	765	2
Bigfork	*H. S. McElroy	765	1
Bigsandy	Anna C. Furst	1,035	10
Billings—			
(Eldergrove Dist.)	*Nellie J. Douglas	900	3
(Elysian Dist.)	*Mayme Humphrey	765	2
(Lockwood Dist.)	*Ora Cohagen	810	1
Boulder	J. R. Norville	1,500	3
Boxelder	*Mrs. W. W. Jones	810	2
Bozeman—			
(Monforton Dist.)	*Effie Clark	720	1

A district of the Third Class is one which has a population of less than one thousand; it cannot employ a superintendent, but if it has any school of more than one department, one of the teachers is usually designated as the principal. The schools are controlled by a board of three trustees elected for three years by the voters of the district, one each year.

There are in the state about 1,200 Third Class Districts which have only one-room schools. These are not listed in the directory.

Postoffice	Principal	Salary	Add'n T'ch rs in to Prin.
Brady	E. H. Melvin	$ 900	1
Bridger	H. A. Veeder	1,215	5
Broadview	L. S. Turner	900	3
(Dist. No. 32)	Estelle H. Winegarner	810	1
Brockway	*Jas. O. Treat	675	1
Brooks	*A. J. Martz	720	2
Browning	S. A. Selecman	1,125	3
Buffalo	*Eva Moore	675	2
Bynum	Mrs. Martha Weyman	720	2
Camas Prairie	Howard Keagy	810	2
Cascade	Wm. L. Rutherford	1,125	4
Circle	*Reuben Lumsden	540	1
Clancy	*A. W. Ray	900	1
Clinton	W. R. Kuhn	900	1
Clydepark	*J. D. Williamson	1,000	4
Coffee Creek	*Nancy Dunavan	810	3
Collins	Edward Jones	900	1
Columbia Falls—			
(Badrock Dist.)	Faye Johnston	630	1
Columbus	J. D. Ray	1,500	10
Comanche	Taceta Dillow	750	1
Craig	*Clara Kramer	720	1
Creston	*R. E. Hough	720	1
(Echo Dist.)	*Agnes Kaser	450	1
(Egan Dist.)	*Thelma Breckenridge	585	1
(Swan Riv. Dist.)	*Wm. Waterhouse	520	1
Culbertson	Allan C. Lemon	1,350	6
Custer	*Edward Lacklen	900	2
Cutbank	K. F. Marlow	1,350	7
(North Ethridge Dist.)	H. D. Poore	540	1
Darby	F. H. Madison	1,125	4
Denton	John W. Lang	1,125	3
Devon	Edmond O. Durocher	900	2
Dixon	Victor Hornney	900	3
Dodson	*Eva Robertson	900	2
Drummond	J. A. Oliver	1,035	2
Dupuyer	*Mrs. M. E. Hay	765	1

Postoffice	Principal	Salary	T'ch'rs in Add'n to Prin.
Dutton	Albert McFarland	$ 720	1
East Scobey	Phoebe M. Olson	900	4
Edgar	*Jas. A. Zerface	900	2
Ekalaka	*F. L. Funkenbusch	900	3
Elliston	*Clifton S. Jackson	990	2
Ennis	*Gustav Wiesner	765	2
Fallon	*Clayton Groves	720	1
Farmington	J. F. Moran	900	1
Florence	J. L. McCormick	1 200	5
Fortine	Earl Price	1,125	2
Fort Shaw	*Wm. G. Smith	900	3
Frenchtown	*Elizabeth Steer	885	1
Froid	*Emil Peterson	900	3
Fromberg	A. O. Nelson	1,260	6
Galata	*Maud Whisenhunt	855	1
Gardiner	Harriet Chandler	810	1
Garneill	*Kathryn Greenough	810	2
Geyser	*————	1,000	3
Gildford	*W. J. Lehmkuhl	900	2
Gilman	*Wm. Porter	720	1
Glasston	R. A. McIlvaine	720	1
Grantsdale	*Russell R. Walker	900	1
Grass Range	*Dorothy Bowen	720	2
Hall	Estelle M. Bates	900	1
Hamilton—			
(Canyon Ck. Dist.)	H. J. Peavy	1,035	2
Harlem	F. B. Polley	1,000	5
Harrison	A. J. Smith	1,125	2
Hedgesville	*I. L. Peavy	1,300	3
Helena—			
(Warren Dist.)	Christy Simons	810	1
Helmville	*Mrs. Agnes Hanratty	800	1
Hilger	*A. R. Thompson	1,080	2
Hingham	*Elizabeth Gerlach	855	2
Hinsdale	*F. R. Platt	1,125	3
Hobson	*Alexander Seaton	1,125	4
Homestead	F. N. Hannan	630	1
Hysham	B. E. Davis	1,125	7

Postoffice	Principal	Salary	T'ch'rs in Add'n to Prin.
Ingomar	Leta Edington	$ 810	2
Inverness	J. H. Shipton	765	2
Ismay	*Olive Lovett	1,000	2
Jackson	George Whetstone	1,000	1
Joliet	Frank Murray	1,125	5
Joplin	*C. W. Drake	900	2
Jordan	Etta L. Erickson	900	2
Judith Gap	J. W. Skelton	1,400	3
Kalispell, R. F. D.—			
(Demersville Dist.)	Selma Mercord	720	1
(Evergreen Dist.)	*Nellie Magnuson	585	1
(Hodgson Dist.)	Mrs. T. A. Stancliffe	720	1
Kendall	*Maude C. Bowser	900	3
Kila	Sherman Robinson	810	1
Klein	R. R. Maxwell	1,125	11
Kremlin	W. F. Casey	765	1
Laurel—			
(Allendale Dist.)	*Cora Bray	765	1
Lavina	T. E. Smalley	1,000	3
Lima	Ed. N. Evans	1,125	1
Logan	*T. S. King	900	1
Lo Lo	*Gertrude E. Davies	720	1
Lothair	*W. C. Wright	900	1
Malta	J. L. Elliott	1,120	5
Manhattan	*Chauncey Houstman	1,000	6
Marysville	Benton Welty	1,125	3
Maudlow	Florence Maxey	720	1
Medicine Lake	Frank H. Livingston	1,125	2
Melrose	Louise Hynes	1,125	2
Melstone	*Dollie Schleppegrell	900	1
Mildred	*C. H. Sneft	1,125	2
Moccasin	*Merritt Rankin	765	2
Mondak	S. H. Craige	900	1
Moore	T. H. Steffen	1,125	6
Musselshell	*Ella Hayden	900	2
Myers	*Frank Herring	675	2
Nashua	*Anna O'Brien	900	1

Postoffice	Principal	Salary	T'ch'rs in Add'n to Prin.
(Galpin Dist.)	—Ida Drystad	$ 525	1
Neihart	—Wm. A. Terrall	990	1
Nihill	—Bertha Lunceford	675	1
Noxon	—C. L. Baldwin	900	2
Outlook	—*J. J. Becker	900	2
Ovando	—Mrs. T. H. Smith	720	1
Park City	—Thos. M. Davies	1,125	6
Paradise	—*B. E. Whisnant	1,080	4
Plains	—W. H. Shipley	1,350	7
Plentywood	—Frank L. Houston	990	6
Plevna	—Marcia Knox	675	2
Polson—			
(Valley View Dist.)	—Nellie Bartlett	585	1
Pony	—*B. H. Fairbrother	1,350	4
Poplar	—*C. B. May	1,135	3
Potomac	—Harry M. Dengler	1,200	3
Proctor	—*Mabel Lewis	675	1
Radersburg	—E. R. Matsler	900	1
Raynesford	—*G. N. Moss	1,575	3
Redstone	—Florence Barrett	675	1
Reed Point	—Mrs. Grace Knox	720	1
Roberts	—*L. Blanche Wayman	720	1
(Plainview Dist.)	—Ethel I. Spears	675	1
Rocker	—Mary Crangle	1,000	1
Rollins	—*Hazel Reynolds	675	1
Rosebud	—*Harry B. Johnson	1,035	4
Roy	—Margaret Seever	765	3
Ruby	—*John F. Shea	1,125	2
Rudyard	—*Chas. D. Coy	900	1
Ryegate	—M. H. McIntosh	1,000	6
Saco	—J. H. Atwood	1,260	3
Saint Regis	—Chas. Troyer	1,260	3
Salesville	—Elizabeth Thorpe	675	1
Saltese	—Margaret McNulty	810	1
Sanders	—*Ruth Notton	720	2
Savage	—*Ruth Mickelsen	540	2
Shelby	—*W. B. Geiter	1,400	5
Sheridan	—Wm. N. Tibbs	1,350	6

Postoffice	Principal	Salary	T'ch'rs in Add'n to Prin.
Sidney	J. H. Nevins	$1,035	8
	B. Brown, High School	900	2
Silesia	*Roy H. Hatfield	765	1
Simms	A. D. Wiggin	900	3
Somers	F. L. Byrnes	1,350	7
Stanford	Thos. S. Kerr	1,500	6
Stevensville—			
	(Burnt Fork Dist.)—*Bruce Goodrich	765	1
	(Lower Burnt Fork)—R. G. Voorhorst	675	1
	(Three Mile Dist.)—Mildred Winslow	765	2
Straw	Madge Eldridge	675	2
Superior	*F. M. Vancil	1,125	3
Terry	C. W. Grandey	1 500	6
	A. O. Gullidge, High School	1,250	2
Thompson Falls	*T. A. Bruner	1,650	8
Toston	*Paul R. Dana	810	2
Townsend	J. H. Moore	1,350	6
	Doris Doty, Music	810	
Trident	Minnie Ward	900	1
Troy	*G. W. Spoerry	1,320	4
Twin Bridges	E. L. May	1,350	4
Twodot	*A. D. Hall	900	1
Utica	A. E. Tubbs	1,035	3
Valier	*C. S. Torvend	1,000	5
Vandalia	Maud Kelly	675	1
Victor	*J. A. Long	1,350	8
Virginia City	J. W. Watson	1,125	4
Warland	Martha Costich	855	2
Washoe	*Thos F. Hogg	900	4
Waterloo	Ellen J. Falconer	900	1
Westby	*W. F. Standeford	900	1
Westmore	Fred J. Ward	765	1
Whitehall	O. W. Wilkins	1,650	7
	(Pleasant Valley Dist.)—E. E. Allen	900	1
White Sulphur Springs	S. J. Billington	1,400	6
Willow Creek	*Nellie Grobe	900	4
Wilsall	*E. E. Speaker	990	3
Windham	Mamie McRae	810	2

Postoffice	Principal	Salary	T'ch'rs in Add'n to Prin.
(Lehigh Dist.)—	Blanche Perkins	$ 720	3
Winifred—	E. B. Hunt	620	2
Winnett—	Anna O. Swift	720	2
Wisdom—	*Ray Spencer	1,1--	2
Wolf Point—	F. H. Kenny	900	3
Wyola—	A. L. Tenney	900	1
Yates—	*Eva Wills	585	1

COUNTY HIGH SCHOOLS.

County	Town	Principal	Salary	No. of Assts.	Total enrollment, 1914–'15
Beaverhead	Dillon.	B. E. Toan	$2,400	10	137
Broadwater	Townsend.	A. E. Myers	1,800	5	70
Carbon	Red Lodge.	C. W. Thompson	2,200	6	132
Chouteau	Fort Benton.	C. M. Luce	1,650	4	71
Custer	Miles City.	J. W. Irwin	2,500	9	164
Dawson	Glendive.	R. L. Hunt	3,000	7	77
Fergus	Lewistown.	H. L. Sackett	2,800	10	195
Flathead	Kalispell.	F. L. Cummings	2,500	20	441
Gallatin	Bozeman.	E. J. Parkin	2,500	16	368
Granite	Philipsburg.	G. T. Bramble	1,800	5	96
Jefferson	Boulder.	A. T. Peterson	1,650	4	43
Missoula	Missoula.	G. A. Ketcham	2,800	18	450
Park	Livingston.	*Clifford V. Brown	2,200	11	176
Powell	Deer Lodge.	F. A. Stejer	2,000	6	60
Sweet Grass	Bigtimber.	*Leroy W. Beam	1,800	6	114
Teton	Chouteau.	M. C. Dietrich	1,900	4	39

Every county high school is governed by a board of seven trustees composed of the county superintendent, ex-officio, and six persons appointed, two each year, for terms of three years, by the Board of County Commissioners.

ACCREDITED HIGH SCHOOLS.

All the County High Schools are accredited for the full four years work. The following District High Schools are accredited for the work of the years indicated:

Dist. No.	County	Postoffice	No. of Years
52	Stillwater	Absarokee	2
10	Deer Lodge	Anaconda	4
12	Fallon	Baker	2
44	Gallatin	Belgrade	4
29	Cascade	Belt	4
2	Yellowstone	Billings	4
4	Carbon	Bridger	4
1	Silver Bow	Butte	4
33	Hill	Chester	2
10	Blaine	Chinook	4
41	Park	Clyde Park	1
6	Flathead	Columbia Falls	3
6	Stillwater	Columbus	4
10	Teton	Conrad	4
1	Ravalli	Corvallis	4
17	Sheridan	Culbertson	4
15	Teton	Cutbank	4
13	Lincoln	Eureka	4
4	Rosebud	Forsyth	4
30	Carbon	Fromberg	3
1	Valley	Glasgow	4
1	Cascade	Great Falls	4
3	Ravalli	Hamilton	4
16	Meagher	Harlowton	4
16	Hill	Havre	4
1	Lewis and Clark	Helena	4
20	Fergus	Hobson	1
7	Rosebud	Hysham	4
7	Carbon	Joliet	3
16	Dawson	Jordan	1
7	Yellowstone	Laurel	4
41	Musselshell	Lavina	2
4	Lincoln	Libby	4
3	Gallatin	Manhattan	3
44	Fergus	Moore	4
5	Stillwater	Park City	3
1	Sanders	Plains	4
23	Flathead	Polson	4
11	Madison	Pony	4
11	Missoula	Potomac	1
28	Missoula	Ravalli	3
11	Cascade	Raynsford	2
55	Musselshell	Roundup	4
6	Musselshell	Ryegate	2
6	Toole	Shelby	2

Dist. No.	County	Postoffice	No. of Years
5	Madison	Sheridan	4
5	Richland	Sidney	2
29	Flathead	Somers	2
12	Fergus	Stanford	2
2	Ravalli	Stevensville	4
5	Prairie	Terry	4
2	Sanders	Thompson Falls	4
24	Gallatin	Three Forks	4
18	Teton	Valier	4
7	Ravalli	Victor	4
1	Madison	Virginia City	4
44	Flathead	Whitefish	4
4	Jefferson	Whitehall	4
8	Meagher	White Sulphur Springs	4
16	Beaverhead	Wisdom	1
6	Wibaux	Wibaux	4
24	Yellowstone	Worden	3

The following parochial high schools are also accredited for four years' work:

Central High School, Butte, Father McCormick, Principal.

Mount Angela Ursuline Academy, Great Falls, Mother Xavier, Principal.

St. Vincent's Academy, Helena, Sister Berchmans, Principal.

Sacred Heart Academy, Missoula, Father Deleon, Principal.

Loyola High School, Missoula, Father Gilbert, Principal.

Also, The Academy of the College of Montana, Deer Lodge, W. H. Hannum, President.

And, The High School Department of the Butte Business College, C. V. Fulton, Principal.

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TEACHERS' CERTIFICATES.

No one can teach in any public school in Montana without a certificate issued in this state. There is absolutely no exception to this under any circumstances or conditions whatever.

Only such persons, at least eighteen years of age, can get certificates to teach in Montana as are citizens of the United States or have filed a legal declaration of their intention to become citizens. Applicants must also present evidence of good moral character and physical health.

Certain certificates are obtained through County Superintendents and others through the State Board of Education, as follows:

I. County Certificates.

County certificates are valid in the county where issued, and become valid in any other county where they are registered in the office of the county superintendent.

County certificates are obtained **only by examination**, and grades obtained in other states will not be transferred to them. Examinations are uniform throughout the state, and are held at every county seat, by the county examining board, beginning the last Thursday in February, April, August, and October. They usually occupy two or three days. County certificates are of three grades, as follows:

Second Grade: No experience required; valid for eighteen months, and not renewable; examination in reading, writing, arithmetic, spelling, grammar, geography, physiology and hygiene, history of the United States, civics (state and federal), and theory and practice of teaching.

First Grade: Twelve months' successful experience required; valid for three years, and at any time before expiration may be renewed by any county board on satisfactory evidence that the applicant has taught successfully for at least twelve months during the life of the certificate; examination in all subjects required for a 2nd grade certificate, and also in American literature, physical geography, elementary algebra through quadratics, and school management. (Applicants already holding Montana 2nd grade certificates, unexpired, on satisfying the examiners that they have taught successfully in the public schools of the state for at least twelve months, may be excused from re-examination in any subjects in which their certificates show grades of 80 per cent or over.)

Professional Grade: Eighteen months successful experience required; valid for four years, and at any time before expiration may be renewed by any county board on satisfactory evidence that the applicant has taught successfully for at least twelve months during the life of the certificate; examination in all subjects required for a 1st grade certificate, and also in physics, plane geometry, and elementary psychology. (Applicants already holding Montana 1st or 2nd grade certificates, unexpired, on satisfying the examiners that they have taught successfully in the public schools of the state for at least twelve months, may be excused from re-examination in any subjects in which their certificates show grades of 80 per cent or over.)

Text Books for Review.

In response to very numerous inquiries as to books upon which examinations are based, the

following list is suggested as books which may profitably be studied by persons reviewing for examination. This list is not given with any intention of intimating that questions will be asked that can be answered merely by memorizing sentences from these books, but persons who are intelligently familiar with these books may reasonably expect to pass the examinations.

Theory and Practice of Teaching—O'Shea: Everyday Problems in Teaching; Bobbs-Merrill Co., Indianapolis, Ind. $1.00.

Reading—Sherman & Reed; Essentials of Teaching Reading; University Publishing Co., Lincoln, Neb. $1.00. Or, Sawyer: Five Messages to Teachers of Primary Reading; Rand McNally & Co., Chicago, Ill. $1.00.

Writing—The examination in writing is based partly on the penmanship displayed in the candidate's papers and partly on the answers to questions on the Palmer Method of Business Writing. The Palmer Manual may be obtained of A. N. Palmer Co., New York, for 25c.

School Management—Seeley: A New School Management: Hinds, Noble & Eldredge, 33 West 15th St., New York, N. Y. $1.25.

Elementary Psychology—Halleck: Psychology and Psychic Culture; American Book Co., Chicago, Ill. $1.15.

American Literature—Tappan: America's Literature; Houghton Mifflin Co., Boston, Mass. 80c.

History of the United States—Channing: Student's History of the United States; The Macmillan Co., Chicago, Ill. $1.40.

Civics—Swain: Civics for Montana Students (including the government both of Montana and of the United States); Scott, Foresman & Co., 623 S. Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill. 75c.

Subjects for which no books are suggested may be reviewed with any standard modern text-book. A list of the text-books regularly adopted for use in the elementary schools of Montana will be mailed on receipt of a one cent stamp for postage. (There is no adopted list of high school texts. Each high school is free to make its own selections.)

Sets of questions used in recent county teachers' examinations will be mailed to applicants on receipt of postage (two cents).

Passing Grades.

Applicants must make grades of at least 70 per cent in every subject and a general average of at least 80 per cent in all subjects.

Temporary Permits.

Permits, good only till the next regular examination, may be issued by county superintendents to applicants who apply at any other time than at a regular examination, if they have previously held valid certificates in anv state. A permit cannot be granted a second time to the same person.

Fees.

Every applicant for a county certificate of any sort must pay a fee of one dollar at the time of making application to the county superintendent.

II. State Certificates and Life Diplomas.

A state certificate is good for six years, and may be renewed if the holder has taught successfully for twenty-seven months during the life of the certificate. State certificates may be issued by the State Board of Education in any of the following ways:

(1) Without examination, to graduates of four years courses of standard colleges or universities, who have taught successfully for at least eighteen months after graduation;

(2) Without examination to graduates of advanced normal courses in institutions whose diplomas entitle the holders to teach without examination in all public schools of the state in which they are located who have taught successfully for eighteen months after graduation; no course is considered advanced, whatever its name, unless it normally requires for completion at least two years beyond a fully accredited four years high school course;

(3) On passing an examination in English literature, history of education, and general history, and furnishing satisfactory evidence of having taught successfully for at least thirty-five months, provided the applicant has held for one year a Montana professional county certificate which is still in force.

(To persons intending to review in preparation for this examination the following books are suggested as indicating approximately the scope of the examination:

Long: English Literature: Ginn & Co., 2301 Prairie Ave., Chicago, Ill. $1.25.

Monroe: Brief Course in the History of Education; Macmillan Co., Chicago, Ill. $1.25.

Myers: General History, revised edition; Ginn & Co., Chicago, Ill. $1.36.)

A convenient date for this examination is arranged with each applicant after his formal application has been filed with the superintendent of public instruction.

(4) A diploma of the Montana State Normal College is in itself a state certificate for six years after its issuance, and a diploma of the University of Montana, accompanied by a university certificate of qualification to teach, is a state high school certificate for six years after its issuance.

(5) Teachers with successful experience of at least thirty-five months, who have obtained from the state department of education in some other state, wholly by means of an examination conducted by such state department and not from credits received at any institution, certificates entitling them to teach in every grade of all the public schools of that state without any exception whatever, for a period of at least five years, may obtain state certificates in Montana without further examination, if the examinations on which their certificates were issued were fully equivalent to those required for Montana state certificates; that is, in the seventeen subjects mentioned under county certificates, and the three additional subjects mentioned under state certificates.

A life diploma may be issued by the State Board of Education:

(1) Without examination, to any graduate of the Montana State Normal College, in the three years course who has taught successfully in the public schools of the state for twenty-seven months, and to any graduate of the Montana State Normal College in the four years course who has taught successfully in the public schools of the state for eighteen months;

(2) Without examination, to any graduate of the University of Montana who has taught successfully in high schools twenty-seven months:

(3) Without examination, to holders of Montana state certificates which were obtained without examination, when they have taught successfully in the state for five years;

(4) By examination, on the same conditions as state certificates, except that in addition the applicant must pass an examination in any four of the following subjects: Botany, geology, English history, commercial geography, sociology, first two

years of Latin, German, French, Spanish, solid geometry, trigonometry, rhetoric, educational psychology, zoology, political economy; the candidate must also submit a thesis on some educational subject assigned by the State Board of Education, and must furnish evidence of having taught successfully for at least seventy months.

Applications for state and life diplomas must be made to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, **on blanks furnished by him,** and must be accompanied with certified copies of diplomas and credentials. Original testimonials should not be sent in, as they **will not be returned.** If it is not convenient to get certified copies of diplomas, applicants may cause letters from college or normal school authorities to be sent directly to the Superintendent of Public Instruction, certifying to their graduation and specifying particularly the course completed.

The State Board of Education meets on the first Mondays of June and December, and applications should be filed a month in advance to be sure of consideration.

The Superintendent of Public Instruction has authority to issue temporary state certificates to applicants who can meet the **full requirements** for state certificates, and who are to begin teaching before the next meeting of the State Board; but **no temporary certificate** will be issued until the applicant has **filed a regular application** for a state certificate, with all necessary credentials. No separate application is necessary for a temporary certificate, but on filing his regular application, the applicant should indicate his desire for a temporary certificate, otherwise the application will be filed until the next meeting of the Board.

State certificates and life diplomas are good in any county in the state where they have been registered in the office of the county superintendent.

Special Certificates.

Upon the request of any board of school trustees or of its representatives or any county superintendent a special certificate, good for one year, may be granted by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, in music, drawing, elocution, physical culture, penmanship, manual training, domestic science, agriculture, commercial and kindred subjects, first three primary and kindergarten grades, to any teacher who presents satisfactory evidence of **special proficiency** for teaching any of these subjects.

A special certificate is good only in the district requesting the same, and entitles the holder to teach only the subjects specified. Application must be made on special blanks furnished by the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Fees.

A fee of $1.50 is charged for a state or life diploma, but it is not to be paid till the applicant is notified that the certificate has been granted. No fee is charged for the issuance of a temporary or special certificate, but these certificates must be registered in the office of the county superintendent, and a fee of one dollar paid therefor. No fee is charged for the registration of regular state or county certificates, but no teacher can ever be paid for more than ten days' service which was rendered before the registry of his certificate.

Non-Residents.

State and life diplomas are issued only to residents of Montana, but non-residents who definitely plan to come to Montana to teach may file applications, and if they meet the requirements, certificates will be issued to them as soon as they come to the state.

Superintendents and Principals.

In addition to all the requirements for teachers, district superintendents and county high school principals must be holders of state certificates of the highest grade issued in some state, or graduates of some reputable university, college, or normal school. Principals must have taught three and superintendents five years.

High School Teachers.

High School teachers who are not university, college, or normal school graduates must be holders of Montana life, state, or professional certificates, but for graduates of such institutions any Montana certificates are sufficient.

Except as noted in the preceding paragraph there is no legal requirement that teachers must have certificates of a certain particular grade in order to teach in a school of any kind, whether town or rural. As a matter of fact, however, many school boards do not employ any teachers who are not col-

lege or normal graduates. The department of public instruction can give no further information along this line, as the choice of teachers is in the discretion of each school board.

The law makes no discrimination between married and unmarried teachers, male or female.

TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SALARIES.

In accordance with an act of the legislature approved March 8th, 1915, teachers who have taught twenty-five years, the last fifteen of which have been in Montana, may retire on an annual retirement salary of $600.

School officials are required to deduct one dollar every month from the salary of every teacher in their employ for the benefit of the retirement salary fund. This applies to all teachers except those actually in the employ of Montana schools at the date of the approval of the act, who are allowed till Jan. 1st, 1916, to decide whether to avail themselves of the law or not.

A complete copy of the law will be mailed on request addressed to the secretary on receipt of postage (2c).

PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SALARY FUND BOARD.

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STATE FLAG.

The state flag of Montana is a flag having a blue field, with a representation of the Great Seal of the State in the center, and with golden fringe along the upper and lower borders of the flag.

STATE FLOWER.

The Montana state flower, adopted by act of the Legislative Assembly approved Feb. 27, 1895, is the Bitter Root (Lewisia rediviva).

STATE MANUALS.

Every school is furnished by the county superintendent with a copy of the School Laws of the State, and a Manual of the State Course of Study. There is no supply of these books available for general distribution.

FURTHER INFORMATION.

Town schools open in September, and remain in session nine or ten months. Rural schools are beginning, in different localities, at almost every season. Their terms vary from five to twelve months, the average being about eight months. The Department of Public Instruction cannot give any list of rural schools that will be in session during the summer. That matter is governed wholly by local conditions, and is in the discretion of each school board.

Salaries of teachers in rural schools range from about $50 to $80 per month, in towns about $60 to $90 in elementary schools and $75 to $125 in high schools. Salaries of superintendents and principals are shown in detail on foregoing pages.

No general statement can be made in regard to cost of teachers' board, as the variation is so very great in different localities.

Any reasonable inquiries not covered by the information given above will be cheerfully answered, but the Department of Public Instruction is not usually informed in regard to any particular vacancies, and **cannot undertake to find positions** for teachers.

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